

In the Claims:

1. (currently amended) A pivoting assembly for holding hunting equipment to an ~~ATV extension kit~~ a bar on an all terrain vehicle (ATV), the assembly comprising:

a first threaded shaft with a ball seat, the first threaded shaft attached to and extending upward from an ~~extension kit~~ a clamp wherein the clamp is U-shaped and is secured to the bar with a bolt and nut;

a second threaded shaft with a ball seat, the second threaded shaft attached to and extending downward from a hunting equipment mount; and

a shaft having a pivot ball and attachment nut on each end, the attachment nuts adapted to ~~release or secure the ball in the ball seat of each of the threaded shafts thereby providing a locking means on each end of the shaft for holding the shaft in a selected orientation.~~

2. (currently amended) The assembly of claim 1 wherein the hunting equipment mount is U-shaped and lined with a soft and resilient material the ~~shaft is a round tube and each ball has an attachment shaft adapted for a press fit into the round tube.~~

3. (previously presented) The assembly of claim 1 wherein the hunting equipment mount is a gun mount.

4. (previously presented) The assembly of claim 1 wherein the hunting equipment mount is a bow mount.

5. (currently amended) A pivoting assembly for positioning hunting equipment on ~~an~~ a bar of an ATV, the pivoting assembly comprising:

a first ball on one end of a shaft, the first ball having a first attachment nut;

a second ball on the other end of the shaft, the second ball having a second attachment nut;

a first threaded shaft with a seat for receiving the first ball, the first threaded shaft ~~being attached to a rack-extension clamp~~ wherein the clamp is secured to the bar with a bolt and nut; and

a second thread shaft with a seat for receiving the second ball, the second threaded shaft being attached to a hunting equipment mount.

6. (previously presented) The pivoting assembly of claim 5 wherein the hunting equipment mount is a gun mount.

7. (previously presented) The pivoting assembly of claim 5 wherein the hunting equipment mount is a bow mount.

8. (currently amended) A pivoting assembly for holding hunting equipment in a user selected position, the assembly comprising:

a mounting shaft with a coupling nut and ball on each end;

a U-shaped mount with a threaded shaft having a ball seat adapted for coupling to one end of the mounting shaft and secured in position when the nut is tightened; and

a clamp that is secured to an attachment bar with a bolt and a nut ~~adapted for attachment to a rack-extension kit~~, the clamp having a threaded shaft with a ball seat for coupling to the other end of the mounting shaft.

9. (currently amended) The pivoting assembly of claim 8 wherein the U-shaped mount is lined with a resilient material ~~adapted for holding a gun~~.

10. (currently amended) The pivoting assembly of claim 9 wherein the U-shaped mount has a hold-down strap ~~is adapted for holding a bow.~~

11. (currently amended) A pivoting assembly comprising:

a first means for pivoting where the first pivoting means is lockable and is comprised of a ball, nut and ball seat and where the first pivoting means is attached to a U-shaped equipment mount lined with resilient material ~~adapted for holding hunting equipment; and~~

~~a second means for pivoting where the second pivoting means is lockable and where the second pivoting means is attached to a clamp adapted for coupling to an ATV extension kit ; and~~

~~a mounting shaft connecting the two pivoting~~ U-shaped clamp having at least one bolt and nut for securing the clamp to a bar and wherein the clamp is attached to the other end the pivoting means.